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CASE NO. PUR-2020-00125
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Ex Parte: In the matter of establishing regulations
for a shared solar program pursuant to
§ 56-594.3 of the Code of Virginia

HEARING EXAMINER'S RULING

July 28, 2021

On July 23, 2021, the State Corporation Commission ("Commission") issued an Order for Notice and Hearing ("Order") in this proceeding. The Order, among other things, scheduled a hearing to convene on November 3, 2021; directed Dominion Energy Virginia ("Dominion") to publish notice, as prescribed therein; and assigned a Hearing Examiner to conduct all further proceedings in this case.

On July 26, 2021, the Commission's Staff ("Staff") filed a Motion to Modify Procedural Schedule ("Motion"). Staff's Motion requested that the Hearing Examiner: (a) reschedule the hearing to commence no earlier than November 10, 2021; or (b) schedule a procedural conference to agree upon a new hearing date. Staff's Motion included no indication of whether Staff conferred or attempted to confer with Dominion prior to filing the Motion.

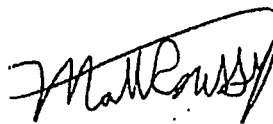
On July 27, 2021, Dominion filed a response to Staff's Motion ("Response"). Dominion's Response indicated that it does not oppose Staff's request to reschedule the hearing for a date not earlier than November 10, 2021.

I find that the hearing should be rescheduled to convene on November 18, 2021. Additionally, corresponding revisions to the respective obligations of Dominion, the Clerk of the Commission, and Staff under the Order are warranted. Accordingly, **IT IS DIRECTED THAT:**

- (1) The hearing is rescheduled to convene on November 18, 2021, at 10 a.m.
- (2) In addition to providing a copy of the Order (as directed by Ordering Paragraph (6) of the Order), the Clerk of the Commission is hereby directed to provide a copy of this Ruling to all persons who have submitted comments in this docket.
- (3) In addition to providing a copy of the Order within five business days of the Order's issuance, Staff shall provide a copy of this Ruling to any persons identified, pursuant to Ordering Paragraph (7) of the Order, as having a potential interest in this proceeding. Staff shall also promptly file with the Clerk of the Commission a certificate of transmission and include a list of names of the persons and entities to whom the Ruling and Order were transmitted.

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- (4) Dominion's deadline for publication prescribed in Ordering Paragraph (8) of the Order is extended from August 18, 2021, to August 20, 2021.
- (5) The notice for publication prescribed in Ordering Paragraph (8) of the Order is revised by replacing the reference to "November 3, 2021," with "November 18, 2021." Dominion shall incorporate this revised date in the notice that Dominion causes to be published.
- (6) In addition to serving a copy of the Order on or before August 18, 2021, Dominion shall serve a copy of this Ruling on the local officials described in Ordering Paragraph (9) of the Order.
- (7) Dominion's proof of notice and service, as directed by Ordering Paragraph (10) of the Order, shall reflect Ordering Paragraphs (5) and (6) of this Ruling.



D. Mathias Roussy, Jr.
Hearing Examiner

The Clerk of the Commission is requested to send a copy of this Ruling to all persons on the official Service List in this matter. The Service List is available from the Clerk of the Commission, c/o Document Control Center, 1300 East Main Street, First Floor, Tyler Building, Richmond, VA 23219.